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SUBJECT: JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE: VALIDITY OF ADOPTION DECREE FOR
PURPOSE OF EXPEDITIOUS NATURALIZATION

REF: (A) STATE 177485, (B) 77 HONG KONG 13765 (NOTAL)

1. SECTION 12 (A) OF NEPAL ADOPTION LAW READS AS FOLLOWS:
IN CASE ANY ALIEN DESIRES TO ADOPT A BOY OR GIRL OF
NEPALI NATIONALITY WHO CAN BE ADOPTED AS A SON OR DAUGHTER
ACCORDING TO LAW, HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT MAY GRANT HIM
PERMISSION TO DO SO ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE APPROPRIATE
FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OR EMBASSY WITH DUE CONSIDERATION TO HIS
CHARACTER AND FINANCIAL STATUS, AND SUBJECT TO SUCH
CONDITION AS HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

2. STATEMENTS TAKEN FROM ADOPTION DECREE ARE CUSTOMARY
IN A FULL ADOPTION.

3. MR. EASTHAM HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO WASHINGTON, BUT
LOCAL EMPLOYEE RECOLLECTS CASE.

4. BASED ON COPIES OF NEPAL ADOPTION LAW AND INFORMATION
CONTAINED THEREIN, INS HONG KONG HAS INFORMED US THAT
THEY WILL CONSIDER SUCH CASES AS ORPHANS ADOPTED
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PER THE LAW OF THE LAND.

5. SINCE FULL FILE ON THIS WAS TRANSFERRED TO HONG KONG,
DEPARTMENT SHOULD CONTACT THEM.
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